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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

MARKUS KLINKO,

Plaintiff,

-against-

MICHAEL BALL a/k/a MICHAEL F. BALL,

Defendant.

Case No. 07 CV 11362 (VM) (HP)

(Oral Argument Requested)

**NOTICE OF MOTION** 

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, upon the annexed Affidavit of Michael Ball, sworn to on December 21, 2007, Request for Judicial Notice, Memorandum of Law, and all prior pleadings and proceedings herein, defendant Michael Ball ("Mr. Ball"), by his counsel, Steptoe & Johnson LLP, will move this Court before the Honorable Victor Marrero, at the United States Courthouse, 500 Pearl Street, New York, New York on January 11, 2008 at 9:00 a.m., or as soon thereafter as counsel may be heard, for an order, pursuant to Rule 12(b)(6) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, dismissing the Complaint of plaintiff Markus Klinko, or in the alternative, transferring the case to the Central District of California pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1404(a), together with such other and further relief as this Court deems just and proper.

Dated: New York, New York December 26, 2007 STEPTOE & JPHNSON LLP

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I do hereby certify that on this 26<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2007, I served a copy of the foregoing **Notice of Motion** on counsel for Plaintiff in the above-captioned matter via electronic mail and Federal Express.

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